

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, June 1, 2018 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial Attack Activity:	Light (62) new fires
New large incidents:	1
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires:**	5
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Nationally, there are 3 large fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

**Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	1	484	0	5	0	17
OSCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	1	521	2	0	0	42
SWCC	5	51,087	17	36	10	862
RMCC	3	3,842	7	20	5	393
EACC	1	818	0	0	0	5
SACC	6	91,275	0	14	0	63
Total	17	148,027	26	75	15	1,382

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Buzzard, Gila NF. IMT 2 (Millert). Ten miles east of Reserve, NM. Timber. Active fire behavior with single-tree torching, flanking and backing. Residences threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Kellar, Lincoln NF. Previously reported incident. Three miles east of Queen, NM. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, creeping and torching. Numerous structures threatened. Area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Buzzard	NM-GNF	21,957	1,657	34	Ctn	6/12	529	9	9	15	5	0	5.3M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Kellar	NM-LNF	2,700	1,950	20	Comp	UNK	159	0	3	9	1	0	890K	FS

LNF – Lincoln NF

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 4
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 2 IMTs committed 1

Horse Park, Tres Rios Field Office, BLM. IMT 2 (Esperance). Fifteen miles southwest of Norwood, CO. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened. Area and road closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Spool, Las Animas County. Seventeen miles southwest of Kim, CO. Short Grass and Timber. No new information.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Horse Park	CO-SJD	1,221	-19	80	Ctn	6/1	306	34	6	7	3	0	2.4M	BLM
Spool	CO-LSX	450	0	95	Ctn	6/4	42	0	1	1	1	0	30K	C&L

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 8
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Webster, Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge, FWS. Ten miles southeast of Middle River, MN. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Webster	MN-AGR	818	0	75	Ctn	6/30	5	0	0	0	0	0	8K	FWS

Great Basin Area (PL 1)

New fires: 6
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Pine Ridge, Vernal Field Office, BLM. Fourteen miles northwest of Vernal, UT. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Pine Ridge	UT-VLD	521	0	70	Ctn	6/20	42	-1	2	0	0	0	668K	BLM

Northern California Area (PL 1)

New Fires: 3
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
*Grant	CA-SCU	484	---	100	Ctn	---	17	---	0	5	0	6	350K	ST

SCU – Santa Clara Unit, Cal Fire

Southern Area (PL 1)

New Fires: 10
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Tye River	VA-VAF	2,057	0	80	Comp	UNK	5	0	0	1	0	0	335K	FS
CN 346-B	AL-ALF	478	0	80	Comp	6/30	9	0	0	2	0	0	15K	FS

VAF – George Washington & Jefferson NF ALF – National Forests in Alabama

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	5	0	1	5	1	12
	ACRES	0	1	0	0	6	0	7
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	1	13	0	14
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	24	97	121
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	3	0	0	2	1	6
	ACRES	0	200	0	0	4	3	207
Southwest Area	FIRES	2	0	0	0	0	1	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	5,725	5,725
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	3	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
Eastern Area	FIRES	5	0	0	0	3	0	8
	ACRES	6	0	0	0	171	0	177
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	93	0	93
TOTAL FIRES:		8	9	0	2	34	9	62
TOTAL ACRES:		6	201	0	0	298	5,835	6,340

Fire and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	13	0	0	67	7	87
	ACRES	0	2	0	0	178	1	181
Northwest Area	FIRES	44	28	5	1	232	62	372
	ACRES	414	237	1,507	0	368	28	2,554
Northern California Area	FIRES	3	8	0	0	449	61	521
	ACRES	0	10	0	0	480	328	818
Southern California Area	FIRES	11	7	2	4	1,068	75	1,167
	ACRES	19	42	3	252	8,038	119	8,473
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	327	1	0	0	68	25	421
	ACRES	2,342	1	0	0	911	23	3,277
Great Basin Area	FIRES	6	104	2	10	163	35	320
	ACRES	87	1,786	0	35	3,631	188	5,727
Southwest Area	FIRES	391	80	4	13	446	332	1,266
	ACRES	28,055	2,116	215	3,289	212,269	64,905	310,849
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	119	47	6	5	264	82	523
	ACRES	2,193	1,294	1,712	7	187,436	305	192,947
Eastern Area	FIRES	428	0	4	19	2,939	301	3,691
	ACRES	4,130	0	22	185	17,181	7,152	28,670
Southern Area	FIRES	392	67	28	32	14,846	251	15,616
	ACRES	115,064	310	2,721	18,869	952,066	23,209	1,112,239
TOTAL FIRES:		1,721	355	51	84	20,542	1,231	23,984
TOTAL ACRES:		152,304	5,798	6,180	22,637	1,382,558	96,258	1,665,736

Ten Year Average Fires (2008 – 2017 as of today)	25,115
Ten Year Average Acres (2008 – 2017 as of today)	1,242,358

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	27	0	0	0	0	27
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	50	50
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	102	102
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	11	11
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	47	0	0	0	0	47
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	12	1	13
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	186	1	187
TOTAL FIRES:		0	2	0	0	12	2	16
TOTAL ACRES:		0	74	0	0	186	174	434

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership)

Areas		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	3	0	11	1	15
	ACRES	0	0	56	0	36,158	70	36,284
Northwest Area	FIRES	25	27	9	7	0	157	225
	ACRES	2,472	5,483	4,497	414	0	43,256	56,122
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	3	8	12	0	120	143
	ACRES	0	1,792	7,444	438	0	17,548	27,222
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	2	3	1	0	123	129
	ACRES	0	90	405	40	0	11,871	12,406
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	9	13	39	3	4	99	167
	ACRES	2,976	12,437	10,191	12,203	257	13,124	51,188
Great Basin Area	FIRES	2	18	2	4	32	71	129
	ACRES	75	2,239	40	67	2,420	23,071	27,912
Southwest Area	FIRES	10	15	6	4	1	95	131
	ACRES	1,676	12,963	194	836	51	70,035	85,755
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	11	37	22	9	37	110	226
	ACRES	223	3,936	14,960	263	7,338	45,339	72,059
Eastern Area	FIRES	57	0	148	29	987	224	1,445
	ACRES	31,884	0	23,483	7,669	84,703	70,179	217,918
Southern Area	FIRES	68	0	141	33	56,264	938	57,444
	ACRES	18,760	0	117,763	106,832	2,282,717	947,437	3,473,509
TOTAL FIRES:		182	115	381	102	57,336	1,938	60,054
TOTAL ACRES:		58,066	38,940	179,033	128,762	2,413,644	1,241,930	4,060,375

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

***Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>

Canadian Fires and Hectacres

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTACRES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO- DATE	HECTACRES YEAR- TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	4	3,033	258	37,426
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	9	2,669
ALBERTA	0	1,043	529	30,259
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	3	1
SASKATCHEWAN	2	3	202	28,072
MANITOBA	0	0	199	71,085
ONTARIO	3	4	202	4,288
QUEBEC	5	3	186	161
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	51	104
NEW BRUNSWICK	4	1	157	161
NOVA SCOTIA	4	2	99	157
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	9	11
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	26	40,072
TOTALS	22	4,087	1,930	214,466

*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: Critical fire weather conditions are expected across portions of the Southwest as the upper level trough weakens and begins to move inland. Breezy southwesterly winds along with the typically low afternoon humidity levels will create an active burn environment across the Four Corners Region. Further north, scattered showers and storms will be possible across the central and northern Great Basin and the Northern Rockies as a cold front moves across the region. As has been the case thus far, storms should be wet. Ahead of the trough within a ridge positioned over the Great Plains, another dry line with thunderstorms will develop across West Texas. Hot and humid conditions are expected across the eastern Great Plains as high pressure extends from central Mexico up to Hudson Bay in Canada. In the East, another passing front will move across the Ohio River Valley bringing additional showers and storms. In Alaska, isolated storms will be possible across the Interior along the Alaska Range as a low pressure area in the Gulf pumps in a little moisture from the Yukon Territory. Most of the rest of the state can expect continued warm and dry conditions.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



Extreme Fire Behavior 1

Weather / Fire Behavior Category

Mild, moderate and EXTREME fire behavior has always been present in cases of shelter deployment. It is critical for firefighters to maintain situational awareness of live and dead fuel moisture conditions as well as predicted and current weather conditions. As fire behavior changes, it is critical to act decisively in regards to the changing situation.

Discuss the following indicators of extreme fire behavior:

- Relative humidity less than 15%
- 1-hour fuel moisture less than 5%
- Transition from surface to crown fire
- Smoldering fires that exist in the early part of the day are beginning to burn very actively as the day progresses
- Approaching thunderheads with dark clouds beneath
- Presence of dust devils indicating an unstable atmosphere
- Increased spotting
- Sudden calm
- High clouds moving fast in direction different from surface wind
- Predicted Haines Index of 5 and 6 in those areas where this level is a good indicator of atmospheric instability
- Fire whirls



Resources:

Fire Whirls video produced by Rocky Mountain Research Station:

<http://youtu.be/wEpW24WlgR8>

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[Interagency Standards for Fire & Fire Aviation Operations](#)

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